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**From:** Barger, Cindy [Barger.Cindy@epa.gov]  
**Sent:** 8/17/2020 4:12:02 PM  
**To:** Chu, Rebecca [Chu.Rebecca@epa.gov]  
**CC:** Kaiser, Russell [Kaiser.Russell@epa.gov]; Rountree, Marthea [Rountree.Marthea@epa.gov]  
**Subject:** Pebble letter update to leadership

**Importance:** High

Hi Rebecca

Since it looks like we are both in meetings, here's recommendations from Rob (call me if needed) that would go well with leadership here. Russ – do you think you would be able to send back any staff level concurrence with my recommendations to go along with Rob's suggested approach?

1. Send up edits to Chris as soon as you can in redline with the following statement (be sure to delete my comment bubbles) "Here are additional recommended edits to the letter we worked with OFA to provide for more constructive language to provide recommendations to the Corps. In talking with OFA, we recommend that you send this to the Senior leadership immediately to work from tomorrow. OW staff have also seen these comments."
2. Chris' email can say something like "Attached is an updated version (in redline) that provides for more constructive language that our R10 and the OFA team worked on since Friday that we believe will be more effective in communicating recommendations to the Corps. I recommend that we work from this version in our discussion."

We believe that this will help to show sensitivity of trying to make sure we are providing useful recommendations to the Corps and the ongoing teamwork with R10 and HQ that will provide for effective discussions at the leadership level tomorrow.

Thanks!  
Cindy

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